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## (54) DEVICE FOR PROVIDING VEHICLE INFORMATION

## (57)Abstract:

PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED: To obtain a device for providing vehicle information that adjusts the amount of contents information to be provided in accordance with a time when a vehicle utilizes the information.

SOLUTION: This device for providing vehicle information, i.e., an information providing center 10 uses travel information sent from an on-vehicle system 16 to calculate an anticipated time necessary for the vehicle to arrive at its destination and determines contents information to be provided to the on-vehicle system 16 in accordance with the calculated time. The information providing center 10 prepares a program table including the determined contents information, an order for reproducing the contents information and media information showing how to acquire the contents information and distributes the program table to the on-vehicle system 16. The on-vehicle system 16 acquires and reproduces the contents information according to the distributed program table.

